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re Application of Daniel A. Schoch et al Serial No. 09/678,183 Filed: October 2, 2000

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

FECHNOLOGY CEN Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing of the Notice of Appeal in the above-entitled application for 3 month(s) from February 18, 2003 to May 18, 2003.

Applicant submits herewith a check in the amount of One Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty (\$1250.00) which covers the Extension of Time Fee of Nine Hundred and Thirty Dollars (\$930.00) required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) and the Notice of Appeal Fee of Three Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$320.00) required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b).

Respectfully submitted,

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